

~~Pilot~~ Captain Patterson

Chief Pt Officer Pilot, Naval Air Sta.  
picked up on Radar.

3 consecutive trackings  
on Dec 19th between  
3:15 & 3:30 P.M.

Initial sighting 2 objects 10 miles apart  
1st picked up on screen  
S.E. of Pilot. Naval air station.  
traveling towards base at estimated  
speed 6 thousand miles per hour.  
Lost it off screen about 10 miles  
out of Pilot.

3rd sighting on screen off U.F.O.  
8 miles N.E. of Pilot. which  
was 160° high & dropped off  
screen. On same date about same  
time checked with an F.A.A. station  
at Salisbury, Md. which had picked  
up messages from U.S. Coast Guard  
~~relative to~~ regarding sightings  
of U.F.O.

Based on Radar beam data, altitude of  
U.F.O's estimated in range between 300-20,000 feet

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19 Jan 65

New Case

[REDACTED] asked OAS to evaluate info. on what has happened in last 10 weeks on unidentified flying objects by 21 Jan 65.

3 yrs ago Major Nelson, Retired, organized the National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena (NICAP) 1535 Connecticut Ave. N.W. Washington, D.C. (It is believed that Nelson is no longer with organization)

Current issue of True magazine has article by Nelson describing phenomena & stating that AF is trying to downplay it because AF doesn't want [REDACTED] the info. too known to public.

several articles in newspaper recently on flying saucers.

Above info. given to [REDACTED] by phone

19 Jan 65

Doc. file for info - Shure. 21 Jan 65

Unidentified Flying Objects

Retired

Group Major Kehoe <sup>to inquire  
reg. stuff 3 yrs.  
ago.</sup>  
Lyon.

Natl. Information Committee  
on Unidentified Phenomena (NICAP)  
What has happened in 1536 cases  
last 10 weeks on flying objects 7/20.

by Klaus  
unclassified

- asked 150 to evaluate -

3 or 4 weeks ago several -

done

Current issue Magazine article by Kehoe

describing phenomena & trying

to downgrade it because it  
doesn't want it to get out.

ence June 58 with [redacted]

Actions Director - Wall, Richard Henry  
Material Investigations Com. / D.O.B.  
by P.D. (N.I.C.A.P.)  
Address - case

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